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Unified Agenda of Federal Regulatory and Deregulatory Actions; October 1997

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Semiannual regulatory agenda.

SUMMARY: Twice a year, the Commission publishes a list in the Unified Agenda of those major items and other significant proceedings under development or review that pertain to the Regulatory Flexibility Act. See 5 U.S.C. 602. The Agenda also provides the CFR citations and legal authorities which govern these proceedings. The Agenda will be published in the **Federal Register** in April and October of each year.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Unified Agenda of Major and Other Significant Proceedings

The Commission encourages public participation in the FCC rulemaking process. To help keep the public informed of significant rulemaking proceedings, the Commission has prepared an agenda of important proceedings now in progress. OMB will publish the Unified Agenda in the **Federal Register** in April and October of each year.

The following terms may be helpful in understanding the status of the proceedings included in this report:

Docket Number—assigned to a proceeding if the Commission has issued either a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking or a Notice of Inquiry concerning the matter under consideration. The Commission has used docket numbers since January 1, 1978. Docket numbers consist of the last two digits of the calendar year in which the docket was established, plus a sequential number, which begins at 1 with the first docket initiated during a calendar year (e.g., Docket No. 80-1 or Docket No. 83-1). The abbreviation for the responsible Bureau usually precedes the docket number, as in “MM Docket No. 79-164,” which indicates that the responsible Bureau is the Mass Media Bureau. A docket number consisting of only five digits (e.g., Docket 29622) indicates that the docket was established before January 1, 1978.

Notice of Inquiry (NOI)—issued by the Commission when it is seeking information on a broad subject or trying to generate ideas on a given topic. A comment period is specified during which all interested parties may submit comments.

Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM)—issued by the Commission when it is proposing a specific change to the FCC Rules and Regulations. Before any changes are actually made, interested parties may submit written comments on the proposals.

Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (FNPRM)

Memorandum Opinion and Order (MO&O)—issued by the Commission to deny a petition for rulemaking, conclude an inquiry, modify a decision, or deny a petition for reconsideration of a decision.

Rulemaking (RM) Number—assigned to a proceeding after the appropriate Bureau/Office has reviewed a petition for rulemaking but before the Commission has taken action on the petition.

Report and Order (R&O)—issued by the Commission to state a new or amended rule or state that the FCC Rules will not be changed.

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CABLE SERVICES BUREAU—Long-Term Actions

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4181	Cable Television Rate Regulation: Cost of Service	3060-AF48
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COMMON CARRIER BUREAU—Long-Term Actions

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4196	In the Matter of Billed Party Preference for 0+ InterLATA Calls	3060-AF60
4197	Implementation of the Universal Service Portions of the 1996 Telecommunications Act	3060-AF85
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4201	Implementation of Non-Accounting Safeguards, Sec. 271 & 272 of Communications Act of 1996 & Regulatory Treatment of LEC Provisions of Interexchange Svcs. Orig. in LEC Local Exch. Area	3060-AG37
4202	Policies and Rules Governing Interstate Pay-Per-Call and Other Information Services Pursuant to the Telecommunications Act of 1996	3060-AG42
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4206	Implementation of the Subscriber Selection Changes Provision of the Telecommunications Act of 1996	3060-AG46
4207	Implementation of Section 402(b)(1)(a) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (LEC Tariff Streamlining Provisions)	3060-AG47
4208	Regulatory Treatment of LEC Provision on Interexchange Service Originating in the LEC's Local Exchange Area ..	3060-AG48
4209	Access Charge Reform	3060-AG49
4210	Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, Second Report and Order and Memorandum Opinion and Order	3060-AG50
4211	Enhanced 911 Services for Wireline	3060-AG60
4212	Administration of the North American Numbering Plan, Carrier Identification Codes (CICs)	3060-AG61
4213	Implementation of Section 402(b)(2)(A) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996	3060-AG62
4214	In the Matter of Inside Wire, Third Report and Order	3060-AG63
4215	Implementation of the Pay Telephone Reclassification and Compensation Provisions of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (Second Report and Order)	3060-AG64
4216	Amendment of Rules Governing Procedures To Be Followed When Formal Complaints Are Filed Against Common Carriers	3060-AG65

COMMON CARRIER BUREAU—Completed Actions

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
4217	Telephone Company/Cable Television Cross-Ownership Rules Sections 63.54-63.56	3060-AE40
4218	Price Cap Performance Review for Local Exchange Carriers, Fourth Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (CC Docket No. 94-1)	3060-AG10

COMPLIANCE AND INFORMATION BUREAU—Long-Term Actions

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
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4220	In the Matter of the Commission's Forfeiture Policy Statement and Amendment of Section 1.80 of the Rules To Incorporate the Forfeiture Guidelines	3060-AF65
4221	In the Matter of Amendment of the Commission's Rules Concerning the Inspection of Radio Installations on Large Cargo and Small Passenger Ships	3060-AG13

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OFFICE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY—Long-Term Actions

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
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4223	Standards for ISM Equipment	3060-AE97
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4225	RF Exposure Standard	3060-AF32
4226	Cable System Compatibility With TV Receivers and VCRs	3060-AF38
4227	Wind Profiler Radar Systems	3060-AF45
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4230	MSS Spectrum Allocation	3060-AF75
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4232	Spread Spectrum Rules	3060-AG17
4233	Medical Care Telemetry Devices	3060-AG18
4234	Unlicensed NII at 5 GHz	3060-AG19
4235	Revision of the Experimental Radio Service Regulations	3060-AG55
4236	Reallocation of TV Channels 60-69	3060-AG69
4237	Streamline the Equipment Authorization Process	3060-AG70

OFFICE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY—Completed Actions

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
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4239	Microwave Antenna Flexibility	3060-AG14
4240	Hughes FSS 13.75-14.0 GHz	3060-AG57

INTERNATIONAL BUREAU—Long-Term Actions

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
4241	Streamlining the Commission's Rules and Regulations for Satellite Application and Licensing Procedures	3060-AD70
4242	Satellite Communications—MSS	3060-AF42
4243	Establishing Rules and Policies for the Use of Spectrum for Mobile Satellite Service in the L-Band	3060-AF89
4244	Preemption of Local Zoning Regulation of Satellite Earth Stations	3060-AF92
4245	Establishment of Rules and Policies for the Digital Audio Radio Satellite Service in the 2310-2360 MHz Frequency Band	3060-AF93
4246	Redesignation of the 27.5-29.5 GHz Frequency Band	3060-AF94
4247	Amendment of Policy to Allow Non-U.S. Licensed Space Stations to Provide Service in the United States	3060-AG31
4248	Rules and Policies on Foreign Participation in the U.S. Telecommunications Market	3060-AG67

INTERNATIONAL BUREAU—Completed Actions

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
4249	Deregulation of International Receive-Only Earth Stations	3060-AF33
4250	In the Matter of International Settlement Rates, IB Docket No. 96-261	3060-AG52

MASS MEDIA BUREAU—Long-Term Actions

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
4251	Broadcast EEO: Reconsideration	3060-AD73

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MASS MEDIA BUREAU—Long-Term Actions (Continued)

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
4252	Advanced Television Service (MM Docket 87-268)	3060-AE24
4253	Transfer of Control of Non-Stock Entities MM Docket 89-77	3060-AE31
4254	Local Television Ownership Rule MM Docket No. 91-221	3060-AF79
4255	Filing of Television Network Affiliation Contracts MM Docket 95-40	3060-AF80
4256	Rules Governing Broadcast Television Advertising MM Docket 95-90	3060-AF81
4257	Attribution of Broadcast Interests MM Docket Nos. 94-150, 92-51, 87-154	3060-AF82
4258	EEO Streamlining Proposals	3060-AG29
4259	Minor Modifications of Broadcast Licenses Without Prior Construction Permit	3060-AG30
4260	Newspaper/Broadcast Cross-Ownership	3060-AG53
4261	National Television Ownership Rules MM Docket Nos. 96-222, 91-221, 87-8	3060-AG54
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OFFICE OF MANAGING DIRECTOR—Long-Term Actions

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
4263	Assessment and Collection of Regulatory Fees for FY 1997	3060-AG51
4264	Assessment and Collection of Regulatory Fees for FY 1998	3060-AG66

WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU—Long-Term Actions

Sequence Number	Title	Regulation Identifier Number
4265	Amendment of Part 80 of the Commission's Rules Concerning VHF Maritime Operations	3060-AF14
4266	Rulemaking to Amend Part 1 and Part 21 to Redesignate the 27.5-29.5 GHz Band and To Establish Rules and Policies for Local Multi-Point Distribution Service	3060-AF26
4267	Refarming	3060-AF35
4268	Future Development of 800 MHz SMR; Competitive Bidding Wide Area	3060-AF47
4269	Interconnection Obligations Pertaining to Commercial Mobile Radio Services	3060-AF58
4270	Implementation of Section 309(j) of the Communications Act, Competitive Bidding; Narrowband PCS Competitive Bidding Rules	3060-AF99
4271	Implementation of Section 309(j) of the Communications Act, Competitive Bidding; IVDS Competitive Bidding Rules	3060-AG00
4272	38 GHz Channel Plan	3060-AG16
4273	Implementation of Section 309(j) of the Communications Act, Competitive Bidding Broadband PCS F Block Rules	3060-AG21
4274	Report and Order (Second) to Allow 220 MHz Licenses to Relocate Their Base Stations	3060-AG23
4275	Revision of the Commission's Rules to Ensure Compatibility with Enhanced 911 Emergency Calling Systems	3060-AG34
4276	Wireless Communications Services	3060-AG56
4277	Implementation of Section 225 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996; Access to Telecommunication Services and Equipment and Customer Premise Equipment by Persons With Disabilities	3060-AG58

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Long-Term Actions

CABLE SERVICES BUREAU

4180. CABLE TELEVISION RATE REGULATION

Priority: Other Significant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 76

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	01/04/93	58 FR 48
R&O and FNPRM	05/21/93	58 FR 29736
MO&O and FNPRM	08/18/93	58 FR 43816
3rd R&O	11/30/93	58 FR 63087

end Order on Recon, 4th R&O, and 5th NPRM 04/15/94 59 FR 17943

3rd Order on Recon 04/15/94 59 FR 17961

5th Order on Recon 10/13/94 59 FR 51869

and Further NPRM

4th Order on Recon 10/21/94 59 FR 53113

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6th Order on Recon, 5th R&O, and 7th NPRM 12/06/94 59 FR 62614
 7th Order on Recon 01/25/95 60 FR 4863
 9th Order on Recon 02/27/95 60 FR 10512
 8th Order on Recon 03/17/95 60 FR 14373
 6th R&O and 11th Order on Recon 07/12/95 60 FR 35854
 13th Order on Recon 10/05/95 60 FR 52106
 12th Order on Recon 10/26/95 60 FR 54815
 10th Order on Recon 04/08/96 61 FR 15388
 Order on Recon of the 1st R&O and Further NPRM 04/15/96 61 FR 16447
 MO&O 02/12/97 62 FR 6491
 Report on Cable Industry Prices 02/24/97 62 FR 8245
 R&O 03/31/97 62 FR 15118
 Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: State, Local

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RIN: 3060-AF41

4181. CABLE TELEVISION RATE REGULATION: COST OF SERVICE

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 76

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	07/30/93	58 FR 40762
R&O	04/15/94	59 FR 17975
2nd NPRM	04/15/94	59 FR 18066
MO&O	10/14/94	59 FR 52087
2nd R&O/1st Order on Recon/FNPRM	03/08/96	61 FR 9361

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: State, Local

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4182. CUSTOMER SERVICE STANDARDS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 76

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	12/23/92	57 FR 61038
R&O	04/19/93	53 FR 21107

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Governmental Jurisdictions

Government Levels Affected: State, Local

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RIN: 3060-AF69

4183. SMALL SYSTEMS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 76

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
R&O	05/21/93	58 FR 29736
FNPRM	08/18/93	58 FR 43853
MO&O	08/18/93	58 FR 43853
2nd Order on Recon/4th R&O	04/15/94	59 FR 17943
5th Order on Recon/FNPRM	10/13/94	59 FR 59519
4th Order on Reconsideration	10/21/94	59 FR 53113
5th R&O/6th Order on Recon/7th NPRM	12/06/94	59 FR 62614
7th Order on Reconsideration	01/25/95	60 FR 4863
9th Order on Reconsideration	02/27/95	60 FR 10512
8th Order on Reconsideration	03/17/95	60 FR 14373
6th R&O/11th Order on Recon	07/12/95	60 FR 35854
Order & NPRM	04/30/96	61 FR 19013

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Governmental Jurisdictions

Government Levels Affected: State, Local

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RIN: 3060-AF71

4184. CABLE HOME WIRING

Priority: Other Significant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 76

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	11/17/92	57 FR 54209
R&O	03/02/93	58 FR 11970
NPRM	02/01/96	61 FR 3657
1st Order on Recon & FNPRM	02/16/96	61 FR 6210

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AG02

4185. OVER THE AIR RECEPTION DEVICES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 25; 47 CFR 1

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
R&O & FNPRM	03/15/96	61 FR 10710
NPRM	04/18/96	61 FR 16890
R&O, MO&O, FNPRM	09/04/96	61 FR 46557

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: State, Local

Agency Contact: Rick Chessen
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RIN: 3060-AG24

4186. CLOSED CAPTIONING

Priority: Other Significant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 79

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NOI	12/15/95	60 FR 65052
Order	01/29/96	61 FR 2781
Order	03/12/96	61 FR 9963
Report	08/14/96	61 FR 42249
NPRM	02/03/97	62 FR 4959
Order	03/24/97	62 FR 13853
R&O	08/12/97	

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AG26

4187. CABLE ACT REFORM

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 76

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Order & NPRM	04/30/96	61 FR 19013

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Governmental Jurisdictions

Government Levels Affected: State, Local

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RIN: 3060-AG27

4188. COMPETITIVE AVAILABILITY OF NAVIGATION DEVICES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 76

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	03/05/97	62 FR 10011
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AG28

4189. IMPLEMENTATION OF SECTION 551 OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996, PARENTAL CHOICE IN TELEVISION PROGRAMMING

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: None

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Public Notice	04/23/97	62 FR 24654
Public Notice	05/27/97	62 FR 28703
Public Notice	07/16/97	62 FR 38090
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AG59

4190. • TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996, POLE ATTACHMENT PROVISIONS

Priority: Other Significant

Legal Authority: 47 USC 151; 47 USC 154(i); 47 USC 154(j); 47 USC 224; 47 USC 303; 47 USC 403

Legal Deadline: Final, Statutory, February 8, 1998.

Abstract: In this proceeding, the Commission continues its implementation of section 703 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (1996

Act), by proposing amendments to the Commission's rules relating to pole attachments. The Commission is required to prescribe regulations, no later than two years after the date of enactment of the 1996 Act, to govern the charges for pole attachments used by cable operators and telecommunications carriers to provide telecommunications services, when the parties fail to resolve a dispute over such charges.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Order	08/20/96	61 FR 43023
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: State

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RIN: 3060-AG71

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION (FCC) COMMON CARRIER BUREAU

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4191. EXPANDED INTERCONNECTION WITH LOCAL TELEPHONE COMPANY FACILITIES

Priority: Other Significant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 69; 47 CFR 61; 47 CFR 64

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM & NOI	07/26/91	56 FR 34159
ANPRM	09/20/91	56 FR 44053
ANPRM Comment Period End	11/06/91	56 FR 34159
R&O and NPRM	11/18/92	57 FR 54323
2nd NPRM	12/01/92	57 FR 56888
MO&O	12/31/92	57 FR 62481
NPRM Comment Period End	03/09/93	57 FR 58767
2nd MO&O	09/17/93	58 FR 48752
2nd MO&O and 3rd NPRM	09/17/93	58 FR 48756
3rd R&O	06/27/94	59 FR 32925
MO&O	08/01/94	59 FR 38922
Carriers required to file collocation tariffs on	09/01/94	
Effective Date	12/15/94	
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AF04

4192. RULES AND POLICIES REGARDING CALLING NUMBER IDENTIFICATION SERVICES (CC DOCKET 91-281)

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 64.1600 to 64.1604

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	09/26/91	56 FR 57300
FNPRM	04/18/94	59 FR 18349
R&O	04/18/94	59 FR 18318
Second R&O and Third NPRM	06/02/95	60 FR 28775
Order	10/30/95	
Order	11/30/95	
Order & Fourth NPRM	11/30/95	60 FR 63491
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Undetermined

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RIN: 3060-AF07

4193. IN THE MATTER OF INTELLIGENT NETWORKS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 64

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NOI	11/21/91	56 FR 65721
NPRM	08/03/93	58 FR 48623
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AF08

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4194. ADMINISTRATION OF THE NORTH AMERICAN NUMBERING PLAN**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**Unfunded Mandates:** Undetermined**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 151; 47 CFR 154; 47 CFR 201 to 205; 47 CFR 403; 47 CFR 52.1 to 52.99**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NOI	11/10/92	57 FR 53462
NPRM	05/10/94	59 FR 24103
R&O	07/28/95	60 FR 58737

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: None**Government Levels Affected:** None**Agency Contact:** Marian Gordon

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RIN: 3060-AF50**4195. THE USE OF N11 CODES AND OTHER ABBREVIATED DIALING ARRANGEMENTS****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	05/29/92	57 FR 22681
First R&O	02/26/97	62 FR 8633
Further NPRM	02/26/97	62 FR 8671

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: None**Government Levels Affected:** None**Agency Contact:** Elizabeth Nightingale

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RIN: 3060-AF51**4196. IN THE MATTER OF BILLED PARTY PREFERENCE FOR 0+ INTERLATA CALLS****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 64.703(c)(Revision)**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	05/08/92	57 FR 24574
NPRM Comment Period End	08/27/92	
Further NPRM	06/06/94	59 FR 30754
Further NPRM Comment Period End	09/14/94	
2nd FNPRM	06/06/96	

Action Date FR Cite

FNPRM Comment 08/16/96

Period End

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Governmental Jurisdictions**Government Levels Affected:** State, Local**Agency Contact:** Adrien Auger

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RIN: 3060-AF60**4197. IMPLEMENTATION OF THE UNIVERSAL SERVICE PORTIONS OF THE 1996 TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 36; 47 CFR 69**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM Comment Period End	03/08/96	61 FR 10499
Recommended Decision Fed-State Joint Bd on Univ Svc	11/08/96	61 FR 63778
First Report and Order Implement of Schools, Libraries, Admin Prov of 8254 of 1996 Act	05/08/97	62 FR 32862
Second Report and Order Implement of Universal Service Provisions of 1996 Telecom Act	05/08/97	62 FR 32862
Final Order Changes to the Board of Directors of NECA	00/00/00	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Governmental Jurisdictions**Government Levels Affected:** Undetermined**Agency Contact:** Lisa Gelb

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RIN: 3060-AF85**4198. INTEGRATED SERVICES DIGITAL NETWORK (ISDN)****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 69**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	05/30/95	60 FR 21274
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined**Government Levels Affected:** Undetermined**Agency Contact:**

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RIN: 3060-AG08**4199. TOLL FREE SERVICE ACCESS CODES, THIRD REPORT AND ORDER****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**CFR Citation:** Not yet determined**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	10/05/95	60 FR 57157
NPRM Comment Period End	11/15/95	
Interim Final Rule	01/25/96	
Second R&O	04/25/97	62 FR 20126
Next Action Undetermined		

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RIN: 3060-AG11**4200. IMPLEMENTATION OF SECTION 273 OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996; NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**CFR Citation:** Not yet determined**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	12/11/96	62 FR 3638
NPRM Comment Period End	01/24/97	
Next Action Undetermined		

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Long-Term Actions

4201. IMPLEMENTATION OF NON-ACCOUNTING SAFEGUARDS, SEC. 271 & 272 OF COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996 & REGULATORY TREATMENT OF LEC PROVISIONS OF INTEREXCHANGE SVCS. ORIG. IN LEC LOCAL EXCH. AREA**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 61.41; 47 CFR 61.58; 47 CFR 63.71; 47 CFR 64.702; 47 CFR 1.720; 47 CFR 1.721; 47 CFR 1.735**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	07/29/96	61 FR 39392
FNPRM	01/21/97	62 FR 2991
1st R&O	01/21/97	62 FR 2927
2nd Order on Recon.	07/07/97	62 FR 36216
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined**Government Levels Affected:** Undetermined**Agency Contact:** Radhika Karmarker
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Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	06/20/96	61 FR 31481
NPRM Comment	09/16/96	
Period End		
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses**Government Levels Affected:** None**Agency Contact:** Mary Romano
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Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	05/28/96	61 FR 26483
Public Notice	02/25/97	62 FR 8414
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined**Government Levels Affected:** Undetermined**Agency Contact:** Dorothy Attwood
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Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	07/29/96	61 FR 39385
FNPRM	02/20/97	62 FR 7744
1st R&O	02/20/97	62 FR 7690
2nd R&O	04/04/97	62 FR 16093
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined**Government Levels Affected:** Undetermined**Agency Contact:** Susan Launer
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Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	04/03/96	61 FR 14717
R&O, Sec. 254(g) requirements of Communications Act	08/16/96	61 FR 42558
2nd R&O	11/22/96	61 FR 59340
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined**Government Levels Affected:** Undetermined**Agency Contact:** Susan Launer

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RIN: 3060-AG45**4206. IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SUBSCRIBER SELECTION CHANGES PROVISION OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 64.1150; 47 CFR 64.1100**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM		62 FR 43493
Further NPRM	08/14/97	62 FR 43493
MO&O on recon.	08/14/97	62 FR 43493
FNPRM Comment	09/30/97	
Period End		
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses**Government Levels Affected:** None**Agency Contact:** Catherine Seidel
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Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	09/24/96	61 FR 49987
NPRM Comment	10/24/96	
Period End		
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses**Government Levels Affected:** None**Agency Contact:** Dan Abeyta
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Long-Term Actions

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	07/29/96	61 FR 39379
Order on Recon.	07/03/97	62 FR 35974
2nd R&O	07/03/97	62 FR 35974
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Undetermined

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RIN: 3060-AG48

4209. ACCESS CHARGE REFORM

Priority: Economically Significant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 61.41 to 61.49; 47 CFR 69(a)(b)

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	01/31/97	62 FR 04670
NPRM Comment Period End	02/13/97	
FNPRM	06/06/97	62 FR 31040
R&O	06/11/97	62 FR 31868
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AG49

4210. IMPLEMENTATION OF THE LOCAL COMPETITION PROVISIONS OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996, SECOND REPORT AND ORDER AND MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 51; 47 CFR 52

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	04/25/96	61 FR 18311
NPRM Comment Period End	06/03/96	
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: State, Federal

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RIN: 3060-AG50

4211. • ENHANCED 911 SERVICES FOR WIRELINE

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 47 USC 151; 47 USC 154(i); 47 USC 201; 47 USC 222; 47 USC 251

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 64.706; 47 CFR 64.708; 47 CFR 68.228; 47 CFR 68.2; 47 CFR 68.3; 47 CFR 68.3(a) Diagram; 47 CFR 68.308; 47 CFR 68.310

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: The rules generally will ensure: that there are standards for multi-line telephone system interconnection to the public switched network; that MLTSs of a certain size have attendant notification capability; that callers' emergency service identification numbers not be North American Numbering Plan numbers; and that incumbent local exchange carriers connect customers to the enhanced 911 network.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	10/11/94	59 FR 54878
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Governmental Jurisdictions, Organizations

Government Levels Affected: State, Local, Tribal, Federal

Public Compliance Cost: Initial Cost: \$0; Yearly Recurring Cost: \$0

Analysis: Regulatory Flexibility Analysis

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4212. • ADMINISTRATION OF THE NORTH AMERICAN NUMBERING PLAN, CARRIER IDENTIFICATION CODES (CICS)

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

Legal Authority: 47 USC 151; 47 USC 154(i); 47 USC 201 to 205; 47 USC 251(e)(i)

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: In 1994, the Commission released a Notice of Proposed

Rulemaking (NPRM) in CC Docket No. 92-237 addressing various issues relating to NANP administration, including carrier identification codes (CICs). The NPRM tentatively concluded that the industry's plan to expand Feature Group D (FGD) CICs from three to four digits, in anticipation of all the three digit codes' being assigned, was a reasonable way to assure that future demand for CICs could be met. The NPRM also tentatively concluded that a six-year transition period was reasonable and necessary to move the industry from three- to four-digit CICs. During the transition period, both three- and four-digit CICs may be used by end users and carriers.

On April 30, 1996, the Commission issued a Public Notice to refresh the record in this docket.

On April 11, 1997, the Commission released a Second Report and Order affirming its tentative conclusion in the NPRM of the industry's plan to convert three-digit FGD CICs to four digits. The Commission also decided that the transition period to four-digit CICs and seven-digit CICs will end on January 1, 1998, and modified the conservation plan to allow each entity two CICs and to remove the intraLATA presubscription requirement for second CICs. Petitions for reconsideration of the Second Report and Order were filed, and comment and reply comment deadlines were set at June 19 and June 30, 1997, respectively.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
2nd R&O	04/18/97	62 FR 19056
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AG61

4213. • IMPLEMENTATION OF SECTION 402(B)(2)(A) OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996

Priority: Other Significant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

FCC—CCB

Long-Term Actions

Legal Authority: 47 USC 151; 47 USC 154(i); 47 USC 154(j); 47 USC 160; 47 USC 201 to 205; 47 USC 214; 47 USC 218; 47 USC 403; 47 USC 571

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 63

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: Defines line “extensions” and codifies their statutory exemption from section 214. Also codifies the exemption for video programming services. Forebears from enforcing section 214 for “new” lines of price-capped and average schedule LECs and non-dominant carriers. For rate-of-return LECs, confers a blanket section 214 authority for their small new-line projects and streamlines the approval process for all of their remaining new lines requiring applications. For all carriers, streamlines the process for approving discontinuance applications.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	01/13/97	62 FR 4965
NPRM Comment	03/17/97	
Period End		

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: None

Public Compliance Cost: Yearly
Recurring Cost: \$133,300

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RIN: 3060-AG62

4214. • IN THE MATTER OF INSIDE WIRE, THIRD REPORT AND ORDER

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

Legal Authority: 47 USC 151; 47 USC 154; 47 USC 155

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 68.3; 47 CFR 68.213(c)

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: This action addresses a proposal for enhanced wire quality standards for simple inside telephone wiring. The action will also address whether the demarcation point rule should apply to complex wiring and whether the demarcation point may be located away from a building.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	06/17/97	62 FR 36476
NPRM Comment	08/01/97	
Period End		

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AG63

4215. • IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PAY TELEPHONE RECLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PROVISIONS OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996 (SECOND REPORT AND ORDER)

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Legal Authority: 47 USC 276

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 64.1301

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: Pursuant to a remand from the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit, the Commission will determine the per-call amount paid by interexchange carriers (IXCs) to payphone service providers (PSPs) for each compensated call originated by a payphone. The Commission will also examine whether it should adjust its interim compensation mechanism to account for additional IXC-payers and categories of compensable calls.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	08/05/97	
NPRM Comment	09/09/97	
Period End		

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: State

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4216. • AMENDMENT OF RULES GOVERNING PROCEDURES TO BE FOLLOWED WHEN FORMAL COMPLAINTS ARE FILED AGAINST COMMON CARRIERS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 47 USC 151; 47 USC 154; 47 USC 201 to 205; 47 USC 208; 47 USC 260; 47 USC 271; 47 USC 274; 47 USC 275

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 0.291; 47 CFR 0.331; 47 CFR 1.47; 47 CFR 1.720 to 1.735

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: In this proceeding the Commission will act on its proposals to modify the procedural rules governing the filing and prosecution of formal complaints with the Commission. The NPRM in this matter sought comment on proposed rules that would: (1) require complainants and defendants to engage in pre-filing activities designed to resolve or narrow issues, including the good faith discussion of settlement possibilities and the compilation and/or exchange of factual information before the parties resort to the formal complaint process; (2) eliminate delays in the service of formal complaints on defendant carriers; (3) improve the format and content of complaints, answers, and other pleadings filed by parties; (4) eliminate those pleading opportunities that are not useful or necessary to the timely resolution of formal complaints; and (5) streamline the discovery procedures to allow discovery which is necessary to the resolution of the case to take place while simultaneously eliminating or limiting protracted discover disputes.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	12/26/96	61 FR 67978
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Governmental Jurisdictions, Organizations

Government Levels Affected: None

Analysis: Regulatory Flexibility Analysis

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RIN: 3060-AG65

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION (FCC)
COMMON CARRIER BUREAU
Completed Actions
4217. TELEPHONE COMPANY/CABLE TELEVISION CROSS-OWNERSHIP RULES SECTIONS 63.54-63.56

Priority: Other Significant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 63.54; 47 CFR 63.55; 47 CFR 63.56; 47 CFR 63.57; 47 CFR 63.58

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action R&O and NPRM, CC Docket No. 87-266. Proceeding terminated.	03/14/97	10 FR 496

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

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4218. PRICE CAP PERFORMANCE REVIEW FOR LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIERS, FOURTH FURTHER NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING (CC DOCKET NO. 94-1)

Priority: Economically Significant

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or

duplication, or streamline requirements.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 61.41 to 61.49; 47 CFR 69(a)(b)

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action	05/21/97	62 FR 31939
Final Action Effective	06/16/97	

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: None

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION (FCC)
COMPLIANCE AND INFORMATION BUREAU
Long-Term Actions
4219. IN THE MATTER OF AMENDMENT OF PART 73, SUBPART G, OF THE COMMISSION'S RULES REGARDING THE EMERGENCY ALERT SYSTEM

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 11; 47 CFR 73; 47 CFR 76

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	10/09/91	
NPRM/FNPRM	09/17/92	57 FR 53874
FNPRM	12/28/94	59 FR 67104
R&O	12/28/94	59 FR 67090
MO&O	11/06/95	60 FR 55996

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Governmental Jurisdictions, Organizations

Government Levels Affected: State, Local, Federal

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RIN: 3060-AF21

4220. IN THE MATTER OF THE COMMISSION'S FORFEITURE POLICY STATEMENT AND AMENDMENT OF SECTION 1.80 OF THE RULES TO INCORPORATE THE FORFEITURE GUIDELINES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 1

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	02/23/95	60 FR 10056
NPRM Comment	03/17/95	
Period End		
R&O adopted, recon. pending	06/09/97	

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Governmental Jurisdictions, Organizations

Government Levels Affected: State, Local

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4221. IN THE MATTER OF AMENDMENT OF THE COMMISSION'S RULES CONCERNING THE INSPECTION OF RADIO INSTALLATIONS ON LARGE CARGO AND SMALL PASSENGER SHIPS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 80; 47 CFR 0

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Order Comment	06/04/95	61 FR 28122
Period Extended to 7/1/96		
Notice of Inquiry	06/20/95	
NPRM	05/09/96	61 FR 21151
NPRM Comment	06/09/96	
Period End		

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AG13

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION (FCC)
OFFICE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY

Long-Term Actions

4222. DIGITAL AUDIO BROADCASTING

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant.
Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 2

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NOI	08/21/90	55 FR 34940
FNOI/NPRM	11/06/92	57 FR 57049
FNPRM/R&O	01/18/95	60 FR 8309
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected:
Undetermined

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RIN: 3060-AE81

4223. STANDARDS FOR ISM EQUIPMENT

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant.
Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 18

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NOI	11/06/91	56 FR 58863
Item Postponed	07/15/92	
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected:
Undetermined

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RIN: 3060-AE97

4224. REVISION OF MARKETING AND AUTHORIZATION PROCESS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant.
Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 2

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	06/09/94	59 FR 31966
R&O	03/07/97	62 FR 10466
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected:
Undetermined

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4225. RF EXPOSURE STANDARD

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 1

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	04/08/93	58 FR 19393
R&O	08/06/96	61 FR 41006
First MO&O	01/22/97	62 FR 03232
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Local

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RIN: 3060-AF32

4226. CABLE SYSTEM COMPATIBILITY WITH TV RECEIVERS AND VCRS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 76

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NOI	01/29/93	58 FR 7205
Technical Report	10/31/93	
NPRM	12/01/93	58 FR 65153
R&O	05/04/94	59 FR 25339
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected:
Undetermined

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RIN: 3060-AF38

4227. WIND PROFILER RADAR SYSTEMS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 2

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	04/01/93	58 FR 19644
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

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RIN: 3060-AF45

4228. MILLIMETER WAVE SPECTRUM ALLOCATION

Priority: Economically Significant.
Major under 5 USC 801.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 2; 47 CFR 15; 47 CFR 21

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	11/08/94	59 FR 61304
Public Notice	06/23/95	60 FR 35166
2nd NPRM	03/29/96	61 FR 14041
1st R&O	04/02/96	61 FR 14500
Comment Period End	05/28/96	
Reply Comments	06/27/96	
2nd R&O	08/02/97	62 FR 43116
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected:
Undetermined

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RIN: 3060-AF61

4229. DIGITAL EQUIPMENT DEREGULATION

Priority: Economically Significant.
Major under 5 USC 801.

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 15

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	02/07/95	60 FR 15116
R&O	05/14/96	61 FR 31044
Order	06/19/97	62 FR 33368
MO&O	08/04/97	62 FR 41879
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

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Long-Term Actions

4230. MSS SPECTRUM ALLOCATION

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant.
Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 2

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	01/31/95	60 FR 11644
Order	03/08/95	60 FR 13687
R&O and Further NPRM	04/22/97	62 FR 19538
1st R&O	04/22/97	62 FR 19509
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AF75

4231. ARECIBO COORDINATION ZONE

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 5; 47 CFR 21 to 23; 47 CFR 25; 47 CFR 73 to 74; 47 CFR 80; 47 CFR 87; 47 CFR 90; 47 CFR 94 to 95; 47 CFR 97

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	02/08/96	61 FR 10709
NPRM Comment Period End	04/01/96	
Reply Comments	04/16/96	
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Undetermined

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RIN: 3060-AG15

4232. SPREAD SPECTRUM RULES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 15

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	02/05/96	61 FR 15206
NPRM Comment Period End	06/19/96	
Reply Comments	07/19/96	
R&O	05/13/97	62 FR 26239
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

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4233. MEDICAL CARE TELEMETRY DEVICES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 15

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	01/25/96	61 FR 3367
NPRM Comment Period End	04/16/96	
Reply Comments	05/16/96	
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: State, Local

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4234. UNLICENSED NII AT 5 GHZ

Priority: Economically Significant.
Major under 5 USC 801.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 2; 47 CFR 15

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	05/06/96	61 FR 24749
R&O	01/31/97	62 FR 4649
Public Notice	03/17/97	62 FR 12641
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Undetermined

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4235. REVISION OF THE EXPERIMENTAL RADIO SERVICE REGULATIONS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 5; 47 CFR 90

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	12/30/96	61 FR 68698
NPRM Comment Period End	02/28/97	
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Undetermined

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RIN: 3060-AG55

4236. • REALLOCATION OF TV CHANNELS 60-69

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant.
Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Legal Authority: 47 USC 303; 47 USC 154(i)

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 2

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: The Commission proposes to reallocate the 746-806 MHz band currently comprising television channels 60-69. We propose to allocate 24 megahertz to the fixed and mobile services for public safety use, and 36 megahertz to the fixed and mobile broadcasting services; and anticipate that licenses in this portion of the band may be assigned through competitive bidding.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	07/31/97	62 FR 41012
NPRM Comment Period End	10/14/97	
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Organizations

Government Levels Affected: None

Additional Information: This proceeding is in ET Docket No. 97-157.

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RIN: 3060-AG69

4237. • STREAMLINE THE EQUIPMENT AUTHORIZATION PROCESS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

Legal Authority: 47 USC 302; 47 USC 303; 47 USC 304; 47 USC 307

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 2; 47 CFR 15

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: The Commission proposes to amend the rules to simplify the existing

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equipment authorization processes; deregulate the equipment authorization requirements for certain types of equipment; and provide for electronic filing of applications for equipment authorization.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	05/05/97	62 FR 24383
NPRM Comment	08/18/97	
Period End		
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Organizations

Government Levels Affected: None

Additional Information: This proceeding is in ET Docket No. 97-94.

Agency Contact: Julius P. Knapp,
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RIN: 3060-AG70

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION (FCC)
OFFICE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY

Completed Actions

4238. PIONEER'S PREFERENCE RULES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 1

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action MO&O. No further action will be taken.	02/09/96	61 FR 4916

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

Agency Contact: Rodney Small
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RIN: 3060-AF53

4239. MICROWAVE ANTENNA FLEXIBILITY

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 74; 47 CFR 78; 47 CFR 101

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action R&O. No further action will be taken.	02/03/97	62 FR 4920

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AG14

4240. HUGHES FSS 13.75-14.0 GHZ

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 2; 47 CFR 25; 47 CFR 90

Completed:

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action Report and Order. No further action in this proceeding.	10/07/96	61 FR 52301

Small Entities Affected: None

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AG57

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INTERNATIONAL BUREAU

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4241. STREAMLINING THE COMMISSION'S RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR SATELLITE APPLICATION AND LICENSING PROCEDURES

Priority: Routine and Frequent

Major: Undetermined

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will eliminate existing text in the CFR.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 25

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	09/09/95	60 FR 46252
R&O, recon. pending	02/10/97	62 FR 5924
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: State, Local, Federal

Procurement: This is a procurement-related action for which there is a statutory requirement. There is a paperwork burden associated with this action.

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RIN: 3060-AD70

4242. SATELLITE COMMUNICATIONS—MSS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 25; 47 CFR 93; 47 CFR 2

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	01/19/94	

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM Comment Period End	06/06/94	
R&O	10/14/94	59 FR 53294
Begin Review	12/01/94	
First Recon Order	02/15/96	61 FR 9944
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

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RIN: 3060-AF42

4243. ESTABLISHING RULES AND POLICIES FOR THE USE OF SPECTRUM FOR MOBILE SATELLITE SERVICE IN THE L-BAND

Priority: Routine and Frequent

Major: Undetermined

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CFR Citation: Not yet determined

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
ANPRM Comment Period End	06/18/96	61 FR 40772
NPRM	09/13/96	61 FR 40772
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

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RIN: 3060-AF89

4244. PREEMPTION OF LOCAL ZONING REGULATION OF SATELLITE EARTH STATIONS

Priority: Routine and Frequent

Unfunded Mandates: This action may affect State, local or tribal governments and the private sector.

Major: Undetermined

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 25.104; 47 CFR 1.4000

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
ANPRM	05/15/95	60 FR 28077
ANPRM Comment Period End	08/15/95	
Further NPRM	03/05/96	61 FR 70710
R&O, recon. pending	03/08/96	61 FR 10896
R&O, recon. pending	09/04/96	61 FR 46559
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Undetermined

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RIN: 3060-AF92

4245. ESTABLISHMENT OF RULES AND POLICIES FOR THE DIGITAL AUDIO RADIO SATELLITE SERVICE IN THE 2310-2360 MHZ FREQUENCY BAND

Priority: Routine and Frequent

Major: Undetermined

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 25; 47 CFR 87

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
ANPRM	06/15/95	60 FR 35166

Action	Date	FR Cite
R&O, recon. pending	03/11/97	62 FR 11083
Further NPRM	04/18/97	62 FR 19095

Terrestrial Repeater Licensing

Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Undetermined

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RIN: 3060-AF93

4246. REDESIGNATION OF THE 27.5-29.5 GHZ FREQUENCY BAND

Priority: Routine and Frequent

Major: Undetermined

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 25; 47 CFR 21; 47 CFR 1; 47 CFR 2

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
ANPRM	07/13/95	60 FR 43740
ANPRM Comment Period End	09/07/95	
R&O Band Plan	08/28/96	61 FR 44177
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected: Undetermined

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RIN: 3060-AF94

4247. AMENDMENT OF POLICY TO ALLOW NON-U.S. LICENSED SPACE STATIONS TO PROVIDE SERVICE IN THE UNITED STATES

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: This action may affect the private sector under PL 104-4.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 25.113; 47 CFR 25.115; 47 CFR 25.130; 47 CFR 25.131; 47 CFR 25.137

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	05/14/96	61 FR 32398
NPRM Comment Period End	08/16/96	

Action	Date	FR Cite
Further NPRM	07/29/97	62 FR 40494
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

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RIN: 3060-AG31

4248. • RULES AND POLICIES ON FOREIGN PARTICIPATION IN THE U.S. TELECOMMUNICATIONS MARKET

Priority: Other Significant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Legal Authority: 47 USC 151; 47 USC 154(j); 47 USC 214; 47 USC 303(r); 47 USC 307; 47 USC 309(a); 47 USC 310

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: The Notice of Proposed rulemaking initiates a proceeding to review the rules and policies governing foreign participation in the U.S. market for basic telecommunications services. The Notice proposes a policy that would liberalize entry for most foreign-affiliated carriers. The Commission tentatively concluded that such a policy would be more appropriate in the liberalized competitive environment that will exist when the recent World Trade Organization (WTO) agreement on basic telecommunications services takes effect on January 1, 1998. The Commission stated in 1995 that it would revisit these rules if a WTO agreement were reached, and on February 15, 1997, the U.S. and 68 other countries negotiated an agreement. The Commission now proposes to amend its rules because the commitments made by the countries party to the WTO basic telecommunications agreement substantially achieve the goals of the "effective competitive opportunities test." The Commission also proposes several modifications to its safeguards that apply to foreign-affiliated carriers regulated as dominant on the affiliated route. The proposed revisions are designed to prevent foreign-affiliated carriers with market power from leveraging their foreign market power into the U.S. market, while being no more burdensome than necessary.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	06/04/97	62 FR 32966

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Action	Date	FR Cite	Small Entities Affected:	Government Levels Affected:	Agency Contact:	2000 M Street NW., Washington, DC 20554
NPRM Comment Period End	07/09/97		Undetermined	Undetermined	Doug Klein, Attorney, Federal Communications Commission,	Phone: 202 418-0424
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Next Action Undetermined						Email: daklein@fcc.gov
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INTERNATIONAL BUREAU

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4249. DEREGULATION OF
INTERNATIONAL RECEIVE-ONLY
EARTH STATIONS**Priority:** Routine and Frequent**Major:** Undetermined**Reinventing Government:** This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 25**Completed:**

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Further NPRM Proceeding has been placed under RIN 3060-AG31.	07/29/97	62 FR 40494

Small Entities Affected: Businesses**Government Levels Affected:** Federal**Agency Contact:** William Kirsch

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RIN: 3060-AF334250. IN THE MATTER OF
INTERNATIONAL SETTLEMENT
RATES, IB DOCKET NO. 96-261**Priority:** Economically Significant.
Major under 5 USC 801.**Unfunded Mandates:** Undetermined**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 43.61; 47 CFR 63.18; 47 CFR 63.21**Completed:**

Reason	Date	FR Cite
Final Action Report and Order	08/29/97	62 FR 45758
Final Action Effective	01/01/98	

Small Entities Affected: Businesses**Government Levels Affected:** None**Agency Contact:** Kathy O'Brien

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RIN: 3060-AG52FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION (FCC)
MASS MEDIA BUREAU

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4251. BROADCAST EEO:
RECONSIDERATION**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant.
Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.**Unfunded Mandates:** Undetermined**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 73.2080**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	10/31/86	51 FR 43854
R&O	04/16/87	52 FR 26683
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Organizations**Government Levels Affected:** None**Agency Contact:** Judy Herman
Phone: 202 418-2170**RIN:** 3060-AD734252. ADVANCED TELEVISION
SERVICE (MM DOCKET 87-268)**Priority:** Economically Significant.
Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.**Unfunded Mandates:** Undetermined**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 73**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
Tent. Decision/Further NOI	09/01/88	53 FR 38747
R&O	08/24/90	55 FR 39275
Further NPRM	10/24/91	56 FR 58207
Second R&O & Further NPRM	04/09/92	57 FR 21744
Third R&O & Further NPRM	09/17/92	57 FR 53588
Fourth Further NPRM and Third NOI	07/28/95	60 FR 42130
Fifth Further NPRM	05/29/96	61 FR 26864
Sixth Further NPRM	08/21/96	61 FR 43209
Fourth R&O	03/25/97	62 FR 14006
Sixth R&O	05/14/97	62 FR 26884

Action	Date	FR Cite
Fifth R&O	05/16/97	62 FR 26996
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses**Government Levels Affected:** State, Federal**Agency Contact:** Roger Holberg
Phone: 202 418-2130**RIN:** 3060-AE244253. TRANSFER OF CONTROL OF
NON-STOCK ENTITIES MM DOCKET
89-77**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant.
Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.**Unfunded Mandates:** Undetermined**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 73**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NOI	03/16/89	54 FR 15957
Next Action Undetermined		

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Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Organizations

Government Levels Affected: None

Agency Contact: Charles Logan
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RIN: 3060-AE31

4254. LOCAL TELEVISION OWNERSHIP RULE MM DOCKET NO. 91-221

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 73.3555

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NOI	07/11/91	56 FR 40847
NPPM	06/24/92	57 FR 28163
FNPRM	02/02/95	60 FR 6490
R&O	03/27/95	60 FR 15688
2nd FNPRM	12/19/96	61 FR 66978
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

Agency Contact: Alan Baughcum
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RIN: 3060-AF79

4255. FILING OF TELEVISION NETWORK AFFILIATION CONTRACTS MM DOCKET 95-40

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 73.3613(a)

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	04/19/95	60 FR 19564
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Federal

Agency Contact: Robert Keischnick
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RIN: 3060-AF80

4256. RULES GOVERNING BROADCAST TELEVISION ADVERTISING MM DOCKET 95-90

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 73.658(h); 47 CFR 73.658(i)

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	07/05/95	60 FR 34959
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

Agency Contact: Paul Gordon
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RIN: 3060-AF81

4257. ATTRIBUTION OF BROADCAST INTERESTS MM DOCKET NOS. 94-150, 92-51, 87-154

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 73.3555

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	02/02/95	60 FR 6483
FNPRM	12/20/96	61 FR 67275
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

Agency Contact: Mania Baghdadi
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RIN: 3060-AF82

4258. EEO STREAMLINING PROPOSALS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or

duplication, or streamline requirements.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 73

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	03/12/96	61 FR 9964
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

Agency Contact: Hope Cooper
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RIN: 3060-AG29

4259. MINOR MODIFICATIONS OF BROADCAST LICENSES WITHOUT PRIOR CONSTRUCTION PERMIT

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

Reinventing Government: This rulemaking is part of the Reinventing Government effort. It will revise text in the CFR to reduce burden or duplication, or streamline requirements.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 73

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	04/08/96	61 FR 15439
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

Agency Contact: Dale Bickel
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RIN: 3060-AG30

4260. NEWSPAPER/BROADCAST CROSS-OWNERSHIP

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 73

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NOI	10/15/96	61 FR 53694
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

Agency Contact: Roger Holberg
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RIN: 3060-AG53

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4261. NATIONAL TELEVISION OWNERSHIP RULES MM DOCKET NOS. 96-222, 91-221, 87-8

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

CFR Citation: 41 CFR 73

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	12/19/96	61 FR 66987
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

Agency Contact: Paul Gordon

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RIN: 3060-AG54

4262. • MAIN STUDIO/PUBLIC FILE REQUIREMENTS FOR BROADCASTERS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant. Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: Undetermined

Legal Authority: 47 USC 154; 47 USC 303; 47 USC 307

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 73.1125; 47 CFR 73.3526; 47 CFR 73.3527

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: The Commission is considering relaxing the main studio and public file rules to allow more licensees to consolidate operations. This action also proposes to streamline the public file contents.

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	06/12/97	62 FR 32061
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

Agency Contact: Victoria McCauley, Federal Communications Commission
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RIN: 3060-AG68

**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION (FCC)
OFFICE OF MANAGING DIRECTOR**

Long-Term Actions

4263. ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF REGULATORY FEES FOR FY 1997

Priority: Economically Significant. Major under 5 USC 801.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 1.1151 et seq

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	03/10/97	62 FR 10793
Report and Order	07/11/97	62 FR 37408
Further NPRM	07/25/97	62 FR 40036
Comment period ends	08/14/97	
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Organizations

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AG51

4264. • ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION OF REGULATORY FEES FOR FY 1998

Priority: Economically Significant. Major under 5 USC 801.

Legal Authority: 47 USC 159

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 1.1151 et seq

Legal Deadline: None

Abstract: Section 9 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. 159, requires the Commission to recover the costs of certain of its activities by assessing and collecting annual regulatory fees from the beneficiaries of those activities. The Commission will develop a Notice of

Proposed Rulemaking to address how the FCC plans to implement the fee requirements for FY 1998. This item, when released, will provide the public with the opportunity to file comments in response to the Commission's proposed fee implementation schedule for FY 1998.

Timetable: Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Organizations

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AG66

**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION (FCC)
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Long-Term Actions

4265. AMENDMENT OF PART 80 OF THE COMMISSION'S RULES CONCERNING VHF MARITIME OPERATIONS

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 80

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NOI/NPRM	11/05/92	57 FR 57717
First R&O	04/26/95	60 FR 34198

Action	Date	FR Cite
FNPRM	04/26/95	60 FR 35507
Second Further NPRM	06/17/97	62 FR 37533
Second R&O	06/17/97	62 FR 40281
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: Undetermined

Agency Contact: Scot Stone

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RIN: 3060-AF14

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4266. RULEMAKING TO AMEND PART 1 AND PART 21 TO REDESIGNATE THE 27.5-29.5 GHZ BAND AND TO ESTABLISH RULES AND POLICIES FOR LOCAL MULTI-POINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE**Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 25; 47 CFR 21**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	12/10/92	58 FR 6400
NPRM Comment Period End	04/15/93	
Third NPRM	07/13/95	60 FR 43740
1st R&O - 4th NPRM	07/29/96	61 FR 39425
Fifth NPRM	03/11/97	62 FR 16514
Second R&O	03/11/97	62 FR 23148
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined**Government Levels Affected:** Undetermined**Agency Contact:** Barbara Reideler
Phone: 202 418-0680**RIN:** 3060-AF26**4267. REFARMING****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 90**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	01/08/92	57 FR 54034
R&O	06/15/95	60 FR 37152
MO&O	12/23/96	62 FR 2027
Second R&O	02/20/97	62 FR 18834
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses**Government Levels Affected:** State, Local**Agency Contact:** Ira Keltz
Phone: 202 418-0680**RIN:** 3060-AF35**4268. FUTURE DEVELOPMENT OF 800 MHZ SMR; COMPETITIVE BIDDING WIDE AREA****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant.
Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 90**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	05/13/93	58 FR 33062
FNPRM	10/20/94	59 FR 6011
Eighth R&O	12/15/95	

Action	Date	FR Cite
First R&O	12/15/95	
FNPRM	12/15/95	
Second FNPRM	12/15/95	
MO&O	06/23/97	62 FR 41225
Second R&O	06/23/97	62 FR 41190
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses, Governmental Jurisdictions**Government Levels Affected:** State, Local**Agency Contact:** Shawn Maher
Phone: 202 418-7240**RIN:** 3060-AF47**4269. INTERCONNECTION OBLIGATIONS PERTAINING TO COMMERCIAL MOBILE RADIO SERVICES****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant.
Major under 5 USC 801.**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 20; 47 CFR 22**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	06/09/94	59 FR 35664
NOI	07/01/94	
NPRM Comment Period End	09/29/94	
ANPRM	04/04/95	60 FR 20949
ANPRM Comment Period End	07/14/95	
First R&O	07/12/96	61 FR 38399
Second R&O and Third NPRM	08/15/96	61 FR 44026
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses**Government Levels Affected:** State, Federal**Agency Contact:** Jeff Steinberg
Phone: 202 418-1310**RIN:** 3060-AF58**4270. IMPLEMENTATION OF SECTION 309(J) OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT, COMPETITIVE BIDDING; NARROWBAND PCS COMPETITIVE BIDDING RULES****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant.
Major status under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 24**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
3rd MO&O	08/16/94	59 FR 44058
Further NPRM	04/23/97	62 FR 27569
R&O	04/23/97	62 FR 27507
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses**Government Levels Affected:** None**Agency Contact:** Rhonda Lien
Phone: 202 418-7240**RIN:** 3060-AF99**4271. IMPLEMENTATION OF SECTION 309(J) OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT, COMPETITIVE BIDDING; IVDS COMPETITIVE BIDDING RULES****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 95**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
R&O	04/25/94	59 FR 24947
Further NPRM	08/06/96	61 FR 49103
R&O	11/15/96	61 FR 60198
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses**Government Levels Affected:** None**Agency Contact:** Kathleen Ham
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RIN: 3060-AG00**4272. 38 GHZ CHANNEL PLAN****Priority:** Substantive, Nonsignificant**CFR Citation:** 47 CFR 2**Timetable:**

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	01/26/96	61 FR 2465
NPRM Comment Period End	02/12/96	
Order	02/22/96	61 FR 6809
Reply Comments	02/27/96	
Order	05/01/96	61 FR 19236
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses**Government Levels Affected:** Undetermined**Agency Contact:** Fred Thomas
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Long-Term Actions

Timetable: Next Action Undetermined

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

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**4274. REPORT AND ORDER
(SECOND) TO ALLOW 220 MHZ
LICENSES TO RELOCATE THEIR
BASE STATIONS**

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 90

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
ANPRM	11/28/89	55 FR 00328
ANPRM Comment Period End	03/15/90	
Report and Order	03/14/91	56 FR 19598
NPRM	01/12/92	57 FR 04180
NPRM Comment Period End	03/02/92	
FNPRM	08/28/95	60 FR 46566
Fifth NPRM	04/03/97	62 FR 16004
Third R&O	04/03/97	62 FR 15978
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses

Government Levels Affected: None

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RIN: 3060-AG23

**4275. REVISION OF THE
COMMISSION'S RULES TO ENSURE
COMPATIBILITY WITH ENHANCED 911
EMERGENCY CALLING SYSTEMS**

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant.
Major status under 5 USC 801 is
undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: This action may
affect State, local or tribal governments
and the private sector.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 20

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
Further NPRM	07/26/96	61 FR 40374
Report and Order	07/26/96	61 FR 40348
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses,
Governmental Jurisdictions,
Organizations

Government Levels Affected: State,
Local

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RIN: 3060-AG34

**4276. WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS
SERVICES**

Priority: Other Significant. Major status
under 5 USC 801 is undetermined.

CFR Citation: 47 CFR 1; 47 CFR 2; 47
CFR 27; 47 CFR 97

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
NPRM	11/20/96	61 FR 59048
NPRM Comment Period End	12/16/96	
R&O	03/03/97	62 FR 9636
Public Notice	03/13/97	62 FR 12959
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Undetermined

Government Levels Affected:
Undetermined

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**4277. IMPLEMENTATION OF SECTION
225 OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS
ACT OF 1996; ACCESS TO
TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES
AND EQUIPMENT AND CUSTOMER
PREMISE EQUIPMENT BY PERSONS
WITH DISABILITIES**

Priority: Substantive, Nonsignificant.
Major status under 5 USC 801 is
undetermined.

Unfunded Mandates: This action may
affect State, local or tribal governments
and the private sector.

CFR Citation: Not yet determined

Timetable:

Action	Date	FR Cite
ANPRM	09/17/96	61 FR 50465
Next Action Undetermined		

Small Entities Affected: Businesses,
Governmental Jurisdictions,
Organizations

Government Levels Affected: State,
Local, Federal

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